

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION OF

DENNLER et al.

Atty. Ref.: 1430-245

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Serial No.: 09/601,534

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For: METHOD OF SCREENING THERAPEUTIC AGENTS

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December 14, 2000

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO COMPLY

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Notice to Comply dated
November 14, 2000, in the above. Kindly amend this
application as follows.

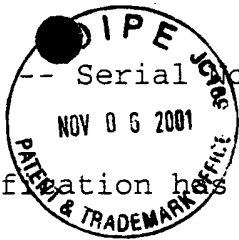
IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Before the Figures, insert the Sequence Listing
submitted herewith.

REMARKS

Favorable consideration of this application and entry
of the foregoing amendments are respectfully requested.

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The specification has been amended to include the Sequence Listing submitted herewith on separate sheets.

Entry of the Sequence Listing does not raise the issue of new matter as the sequence information contained therein is presented in the application as originally filed. The computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing submitted herewith is the same as the attached paper copy of that Listing.

An early and favorable Action on the merits is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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